

*The largest federally sponsored event on  
minority enterprise development*

# **M**INORITY ENTERPRISE DEVELOPMENT WEEK CONFERENCE

December 5-6, 2012

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## **Job Creation in America: Build it Here. Sell it Everywhere.**

On behalf of David A. Hinson, National Director for the U.S. Department of Commerce's Minority Business Development Agency (MBDA), you are invited to join us.

**What:** A public meeting about the  
30th Anniversary National MED Week

**When:** Tuesday, November 20, 2012

**Time:** 1:00 P.M.— 3:00 P.M. ET

**Where:** U.S. Department of Commerce  
1401 Constitution Avenue, NW  
Room 1412  
Washington, DC 20230

**or**

Participate by Teleconference  
Dial-in Number: 1-888-946-8387  
Passcode: MEDWEEK  
Leader: Venice Harris

*If you wish to attend in person, please:*

- 1) Provide your name, organization, email and phone number to **vharris@mbda.gov** by noon Monday, November 19th.  
*Space is limited so please RSVP.*
- 2) Arrive at least 20 minutes early, with a photo ID, to pass through security. Your name must appear on the security roster to gain entrance.
- 3) Parking is available across the street at the Ronald Reagan International Trade Center Building. The closest METRO stations are Federal Triangle and Metro Center.
- 4) The Agenda and handouts will be posted via web on Monday, November 19th.

*Please join us to learn more about the  
Conference and how you and your  
organization can participate.*



### **Quick Facts**

#### **National MED Week: December 5-6, 2012**

##### **About MED week:**

The National MED Week Conference, hosted by MBDA with public and private sector partners, is the largest federally sponsored event held to spotlight minority business development. MED Week provides MBEs with access to capital, access to contracts and access to global markets.

National MED Week has been commemorated each year since 1983 by a presidential proclamation.

##### **About MBDA:**

MBDA serves minority entrepreneurs across America who are building and growing their enterprises.

MBDA was established in 1969 and is the only federal agency created specifically to foster the establishment and growth of minority-owned businesses in America.

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